PART I—Section 2.

GENERAL.

No. G. 9958—*G. M.* 328-17-4, *dated 22nd January* 1918.

The following press notice issued by the Consul-General for the United States of America at Calcutta, dated the 10th November 1917 is hereby republished for general information :—

NOTICE TO PERSONS PROCEEDING TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Under recent regulations issued by the United States Government, every person leaving a foreign country for the United States with the purpose of entering, passing through or touching at a port of the United States, shall be required before he is permitted to enter the United States, to present a valid passport or other official document in the nature of a passport satisfactorily establishing his identity and nationality with a signed and certified photograph of the bearer attached. A wife or female child under 21 years of age, or male child under 16 years of age, may be included in the passport of the husband or parent, but a photograph of each must be attached to such passport. Each male child 16 years of age or over must carry a separate passport.

Each passport of an alien must be visaed by an American Consulate in the country in which the holder *starts upon his trip to the United States*. If the country from which he *starts on his trip to the United States is not the country to which he* owes allegiance, he must also have his passport visaed by the Consular Officer therein of his own country. Moreover, every alien coming *to the United States must have his passport or document* in the nature of a passport visaed by a Consular Officer of the United States in the country from which he embarks for the United States.

For the purpose of ascertaining the identity, nationality and object of aliens entering the United States, each alien, except a duly accredited official, must furnish to the American Diplomatic or Consular Officer who visaes his passport in the foreign country from which he starts for the United States and to the American authorities at the port of entry or elsewhere in the United States, a written declaration setting forth the bearer's name, occupation and nationality, and the names and places of birth of the members of his immediate family who accompany him. Each declaration must be affirmed or sworn to before a Consular Officer and signed in triplicate and a photograph of the declarant must be attached to each copy. The declaration must be made at least two weeks before the date of intended departure, except in cases of extraordinary emergency. A form of declaration is given below and sets forth the information required from every alien proceeding to the United States.

This Consulate General is prepared to visa passports of all aliens proceeding from this port to the United States under the rules given above and to accept their declaration in the form shown, but for the further information of such persons and to avoid, in so far as possible, the hardships and dangers involved in deportation under present conditions, a transcript of Section 3 of the United States Immigration Act of February 5, 1917, is given below. Before visaing passports this office will require the fullest information from the holder to ascertain whether or not he comes within the category of those excluded from entering the United States under the operations of the Immigration Act.

JAMES A. SMITH,
American Consul-General.

Calcutta, November 10th, 1917.

FORM No. 228.

Established July 1917.

Declaration of alien about to depart for the United States.

See General Instruction No. 535.

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(Title of Office) (Place) (Date)

I,.....a citizen or subject

(Name of declarant) (Occupation).

.....bearer of passport No.....dated.....

(Name of country).

Issued by.....am about to go to the United States,
(Name of office) accompanied by
Wife,.....born at.....sons under 16 years of age as
(full name)
follows:—.....born at.....
(name) (date)
.....born at.....
(date)
and daughters under 21 years of age as follows:—.....
(name)
born at.....born at.....
(date) (date)

1. I was born at.....on.....
(date)

2. My father was a citizen or subject of.....of the.....
race; my mother was born a citizen or subject of.....of the.....race;

3. (*a*) I last resided at.....on.....
(place) (address) (dates)

(*b*) I have resided in or visited the following countries within the past five years;.....
(places) (addresses) (and dates)

4. I have.....previously resided in the United States as follows:—
(Dates) (place and address) (object of residence).....
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5. I intend to depart for the United States on the date, from the port and on the steamship as follows:—
.....
(Date)
.....(Port) (Steamship).

6. I name the following, with addresses, as references:

(*a*) .....
(In the country from which the declarant starts).

(*b*) .....
(In the United States).

I expect to go to the United States for.....
(Object of visit).
as shown by.....
(Documents or other proofs of object).
to reside at.....for a period of.....
(City, street and number).

8. I have informed myself of the provisions of Section 3, Immigration Act of February 5, 1917, and am convinced that I am eligible for admission into the United States thereunder;

9. (*a*) I realize that, if I am one of a class prohibited by law from admission into the United States, I will be deported or detained in confinement in the United States, and (*b*) I am prepared to assume the risk of deportation and of a compulsory return trip, in case of my rejection at an American Port.

.....
(Signature of Declarant).

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ..... day of .....

(Month and year).

.....

(Official signature).

N.B.—The taking of this declaration and visaing of the bearer's passport give no assurance that the bearer is not excludible from the United States under Section 3 of the Immigration Act of February 5, 1917. The decision in each case must be made by the Immigration Authorities in the United States.

Remarks by official taking declaration.

Photograph.

No. G. 10348—*G. M.* 116-17-75, *dated* 28*th January* 1918.

In continuation of Notification No. G. 10025—G. M. 116-17-72 dated the 23rd January 1918, the following Notification No. 1720—D, dated the 22nd December 1917, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, adding to and amending the list of firms in China to which goods may be exported and from which goods may be imported, is hereby republished for general information.

" In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*—

Additions.

China Industrial Supply Co.	Shanghai.
Dong Sing Wo.	do
Mackenzie Stewart & Co., (Manchester) Limited ...	(J. Scotson).
Pao Kee, Kuan Yin Ssu, ...	Peking
Poo Yuen Kung...	Shanghai.
Shanghai Marine Insurance Co., Limited.	
Willits and Patterson	Shanghai.
Yut Sae Chang & Co.	do

Alterations.

Canadian Pacific Ocean Services should read Canadian Pacific Ocean Service, Ltd.

Canton Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Co., should read Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Co.

Joseph J. H. should read Joseph, J. M."

No. J. 2889—*Pol.* 239-15-12, *dated* 29*th January* 1918.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 78 of the Mysore Police Regulation, 1908, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to make the following rules with a view to regulate the grant to, and acceptance by, Police officers of rewards:—

1. Police officers shall, under no circumstances, accept rewards direct from private persons or corporate bodies.

2. Sums of money tendered by private persons or corporate bodies as rewards for detection of crime or other good work may be accepted by Superintendents of Police and deposited in the Treasury under the head " General Police Rewards."

3. Before accepting the rewards offered by private individuals, the Superintendents should satisfy themselves that they are given voluntarily.

4. No rewards shall be distributed until the case in connection with which they were tendered has been finally disposed of.

5. After the final disposal of the case, the Superintendent shall withdraw the money from the Treasury and if the money has been earned, distribute it, provided that before

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making the distribution, he shall obtain the sanction of the Inspector-General of Police to all sums up to Rs. 100 in each case and of Government, through the Inspector-General, in cases when this limit is exceeded.

6. If the money is not earned by any one the Superintendent shall refund it to the depositor.

No. J. 2920—*Pol.* 92-17-4, *dated* 30*th January* 1918.

In exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 22 of the Mysore Arms Regulation, 1890, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to exempt the Farm Assistants of the Hessarghatta Grass Farm from the operation of the prohibitions contained in Sections 8 and 9 of the said regulation, save in respect of Cannon, articles designed for torpedo service, war rockets and machinery for the manufacture of arms and ammunitions; provided that the arms and ammunition, carried or possessed by them shall be for their own personal use and shall not exceed such quantities as may be deemed to be reasonable for them to carry or possess.

No. 4088—*San.* 11-17-20, *dated* 25*th January* 1918.

Under Clause 1 of Section 2 of Regulation I of 1906, Vaccination shall be compulsory for a further period of three years, from 1st February 1918, in the local area within the control of the Bannur Municipality in the Mysore District.

No. 4170—*San.* 11-17-21, *dated* 28*th January* 1918.

Under clause 1 of Section 2 of Regulation I of 1906, it is hereby declared that Vaccination shall be compulsory for a period of three years, from 1st February 1918, within the limits of the Huliyurdurga Union, Tumkur District.

No. 4219—*San.* 87-17-13, *dated* 30*th January* 1918.

It is hereby notified for general information that the attendance of persons from infected areas at the festival noted below is prohibited by the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, in exercise of the powers vested in them by the Epidemic Diseases Regulation, II of 1897 :—

Name of fair or festival.	Place.	Taluk.	District.	Period	
				From	To
Sri Venkataramanaswami car festival and jatra.	Talakailabetta (Sadali hobli).	Sidlaghatta ...	Kolar	25th February 1918.	2nd March 1918.

By Order,
C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER,
Chief Secretary to Government.

REVENUE.

No. R. 7540—*Ft.* 14-17-49, *dated* 23*rd January* 1918.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to declare under the provisions of Section 31 of the Mysore Forest Regulation (XI of 1900), that the area, the boundaries of which are described in the annexed schedule, is constituted a Village Forest under the provisions of the said Regulation.

2. The management of the forest will vest in the Panchayet constituted in accordance with the rules issued under Notification No. 5804—Ft. 53-13-9, dated the 5th January 1915.

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Hobli and village.	Details of area		Situation.
			Survey No. and class.	Area.	
				A. g.	
Mysore ...	Krishnarajpete	Kasaba hobli, Hirikalale village.	Gomal Survey No. 63.	200 0	The block lies to the south-west of the village.

Boundaries.

North.—A portion of Survey No. 63.
East.—Channarayapatna-Seringapatam high road.
South.—A portion of Survey No. 63.
West.—Heggadahalli village boundary.